

The claims pending in this case are claims 30-37, with new claims 40-41. Claims 30, 31 and 33 are amended as noted below. The remaining claims are cancelled from this application.

In the Claims

Please cancel claims 1-29.

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30. (AMENDED) A reusable and returnable rack container for supporting a product thereon during shipment and subsequently being returned generally empty of product for reuse comprising:

a frame having a top member, a bottom member and a plurality of legs extending therebetween, the legs configured for being movable between an erected position for spacing the top member above the bottom member to support a product placed on the rack and a collapsed position for collapsing and reducing the size of the rack container for return;

[a support structure coupled to said top member;]

a dunnage structure supported by the frame [coupled to the support structure and supported thereby] for [engaging] receiving a product placed on the rack for shipment when the legs are in an erected position;

the dunnage structure operable for relaxing when the legs are in a collapsed position such that the dunnage structure is generally positioned on the reduced size rack structure for return;